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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City Dock Resilience and Revitalization Project in Fiscal Year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Annapolis, located at 160 Duke of Gloucester St., Annapolis, MD 21401.

This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because the redevelopment of the Annapolis City Dock – a regional economic hub, an international heritage site and an iconic public space – is also at the front lines of climate change and endures an increasing number of punishing floods each year. These funds would cover the design and engineering of flood mitigation and resiliency infrastructure for this transformational project that will become a model for coastal resilience. As a world-class waterfront park, the City Dock will be able to host more events, welcome more visitors, expand cultural programs, invigorate downtown commerce and provide a 21st century complement to the Annapolis Historic District. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

John P. Sarbanes Member of Congress